

**In the Abstract:**

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The invention includes a method of processing an image belonging to a sequence of at least two images  $IM(t_1)$ ,  $IM(t_2)$  displaying a surface representing an organ or part of an organ which is deformable over time and called the organ surface. The organ surface is arranged include characteristic points, denoted marking points  $MP$ , which correspond to each other from one image to another in the sequence. The method also includes defining a structure per unit length,  $LS(t_1)$ , whose deformation is to be followed on an image  $IM(t_1)$ , a step CALC of calculating the positions of the marking points  $MP(t_1)$  and  $MP(t_2)$ , and a step DET of determining the parameters of an explicit mathematical expression  $f(t_1/t_2)$  of the deformation of the organ observed between the two images. The determination is carried out from the positions of a set  $MP'$  of marking points on the two images. The expression  $f(t_1/t_2)$  is then applied to the structure per unit length  $LS(t_1)$  to define the form of the structure per unit length  $LS(t_2)$  after deformation of the organ between the two images.